

House Bill 438 (AS PASSED HOUSE AND SENATE)

By: Representatives Yates of the 73rd, Lakly of the 72nd, Freeman of the 140th, Warren of the 122nd, and Thomas of the 100th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

To amend Code Section 38-4-2 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the powers of the Department of Veterans Service and the Veterans Service Board and the appointment of the administrator and director of the Georgia War Veterans Nursing Homes, so as to change the method of appointment of the executive directors of the veterans' homes; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

SECTION 1.

Code Section 38-4-2 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the powers of the Department of Veterans Service and the Veterans Service Board and the appointment of the administrator and director of the Georgia War Veterans Nursing Homes, is amended by striking in its entirety subsection (b) and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"(b)(1) The ~~administrator~~ executive director of the Georgia War Veterans Nursing Home in Augusta, Georgia, shall be appointed by the commissioner of veterans service upon the recommendation of the president of the Medical College of Georgia ~~or his appointed designee~~, subject to the approval of the Veterans Service Board.

(2) The executive director of the Georgia State War Veterans' Home in Milledgeville, Georgia, shall be appointed by the ~~superintendent of Central State Hospital in Milledgeville, Georgia;~~ commissioner of veterans service upon the recommendation of the chief executive officer of the contractor operator of the home subject to the approval of the Veterans Service Board."

SECTION 2.

All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.